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HONGRONG, SETUEDAY, DECEMBER STE. 1888. 號八月二十英卷香 大丰等 日六初月一十年四十十光 號六十四百六千九岁 No. 9646 AUCTIONS INTIMATION. AUCTIONS. INTIMATION INITMATIONS SHIPMA PUBLIC AUCTION THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE STANDARD LIFE OFFICE ARRIVALS ESTABLISHED FOR 62 YEARS. COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1845. HANDSOME ELECTRO-PLATED December 7, Fuyi w. Chinese str., 936, Graham GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-CITY HALL. INVESTED FUNDS EXCEED £6,500,000 Whampoa 7th December, General.-C: M WARE, FANCY GOODS, TOYS AND TOTAL ASSETS ON 1 JANUARY, 216,976,616 Annual Income exceeds 🟖 : 900,000 \$. N. Co. JAPANESE GOODS. THE AMERICAN MUSICAL COMPDY HE following Particulars of Sale 1888 SECURITY is the chief point to be considered in selecting an Office with December 7, BERENICE, Austro-Hungarian str., AND OPERA COMPANY. Crown Land by Public Auction, to be SUITABLE FOR 1,707, F. Eggera, Triesto 10th October, SURPLUS BY NEW YORK STATE & 2,437,612 General.-AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'SS. which to effect a Life . Assurance. THE held on the Spot, on CHRISTMAS GIFTS MONDAY, STANDARD LIFE OFFICE has stood the test and JOHN F. SHERIDAN. the 10th day of December, 1889, at 3 P.M., December 7, NANZING, British str., 808, R. of 62 years and has paid in claims upwards of THE Undersigned has received instructions are published for general information. Talbot, Manila 4th December, General Twelve Millions Steeling. The Funds The Company is a purely Mutual one, no to Sell by Public Austion, liability is incurred by the Policy Holders. By Command. of the Standard now amount to £6.696,425 and THIS DAY. JANDINE, MATHESON & Co. STR DECEMBER, 1888. and profits are divided among them exclusively. ARATHOON SETH. the Annual Income exceeds £900,000. the 8th December, 1888, at 2 P.M., at his December 7. Ningro, German steamer, 762. Of the three largest life insurance companies for the Colonial Secretary. Prospectuses containing the new and Reduced Sales Rooms, Duddell Street, Schulz, Shanghai 3rd December, General, in the world, the ratio of Death Losses to (1) Colonial Secretary's Office. Rates; Forms of Proposals, &c., may be obtained A VERY FINE SELECTION —Stemsson & Co. Premis, (2) to Interest, and (3) to Insurance in Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. on application to the Force in 1887, was lowest in the NEW YORK BORNEO COMPANY, LYMITED CHEARANCES: CAST OF CHARACTERS: LIFE, whilst Interest receipts, since 1845. Particulars of the letting by Public Auction Agents, Hongkong. AN THE PARKOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. have exceeded losses by death by over £600,000, Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 10th day of BREWER HAS JUST RECEIVED showing careful selection of lives and careful 7ти Dесемвев. ICE WATER JUGS, TOE PAILS. TEA December, 1888, at 3 P.M. by Order of His Nicoya, Norw. bark, for Choribon (Java.) investment of money. SETS and TRAYS, HANDSOME CENTRE-EXCRLLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINIS-Claire Ffolliott (a Slige lady) A Great Variety of New Fancy Goods from BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Almora, British str., for Singapore. PIECES FLOWER VASES, WINE SER-TERING THE GOVERNMENT of TWENTY Arte O'Neale tin love with Paris consisting of Agenta, Hongkong. LOTS of CROWN LAND, at Yaumati. Kow-VICES. VEGETABLE and FISH DISHES. Tetartor, German str., for Kobe. Very beautiful Glass Table Decorations. Hougkong, 3rd July, 1888. loon, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of SALAD BOWLS, FRUIT BASKETS, EGG Activ, Danish str., for illoihow. Perfume Caskets. 2206 STANDS, LIQUEUR STANDS, SARDINE ther) Visayar, Spanish str., for Manila. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Companions BOXES, BUTTER COOLERS, CLARE BANKS Bridget Madigan (a Keenet) ,, N. ABLINE PARTICULARS OF THE LOTS Card Cases, Pocket Books, Cigar and Cigar-JUGS. TANKARDS. BISCUIT BOXES, Boundary
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B. S. H. W. G. E. Kent. ORIENTAL BANK No. Register Locality. Nancy Malone (a Keener). DEPARTURES. ette Cases. SUGARBASKETS, NUT DISHES, SMOK-Cantain Molyneur (a young NEW December 6, Anguises, British str., for Amoy. Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders. ING SERVICES, INKSTANDS, BELLS, CORPORATION, LIMITED. Amber Cigarette Holders. December 7. Monmouthshing, British str., for GONGS, and a variety of other Articles. Robert Ffolliott (a Fenian-Large variety of New Inkstands. Shanghai. Ladies' Bilk Glove and Handkerchief Sets A FINE SELECTION OF FANCY Father Dolan (Parish Priest) , December 7, NATAL, French str., for Shanghai. padded and perfumed. GOODS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS Corry Kinohella(a Squireen) ... December 7, VISAYAS, Spanish str., for Manila. Registered Office, 40, THREADNEEDLE STREET, Crystal Mirrors. Kowloon. Harvey Duff (a Police Spy) ,, Cabinet Photo Screens. SUITABLE FOR December 7, Almora, British str., for Batavia. Sergeant Jones (of the 41st) ... Large variety of Good Albums. XMAS PRE ENTS: December 7, Honolulu, British ship, for San Reilly (Blacklegs in ? ., Satiu Workbaskets, Ladies' Bags. Branches in India, China, Japan TOYS, TOYS, TOYS. Mangan (Kinchella's pay) . A. H-N. All the New Season's Children's Books. Francisco. AND THE COLONIES. December 7, Ningro, Ger. str., for Whampon. New Toys, New Children's Blocks. THE BANK receives money on Deposit, A few very fine JAPANESE LAQUERED Quantity of Dolls, very cheap. Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange, issues and IVORY INCRUSTED PANELS, BAM-PASSENGERS. Oak Stationery Cases and Blotting Books. Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, dler at all weddings...... New Hand Painted and Feather Fans. ARRIVED. HOO BEAD BLINUS. Per Berenice, str., from Trieste.-Mr. F. and Transacts Banking and Agency Business Bon Bons, very cheap. The above will be on view on FRIDAY NEXT. generally on terms to be had on application. Varda, and 388 Chinese. Playing Cards and Loto. TERMS OF BALE.—As Customary. Per Nanzing, str., from Manila.-Messrs. IRISH LOVE-MAKING. Chess. Draughts, and Dominoes. Interest allowed on Deposits:---THE RETURNED CONVICT. Gulick, and MacGeorge, and 26 Chinese. G. R. LAMMERT, Combination Boxes Games. Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Christmas Cards, t ett's and Smith's Diaries, Anationeer. Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. Per Natal, str., from Hengkong .- For Shang-[2209] THE ESCAPE. Hongkong, 3rd December, 1888. 45 45 15 15 675 - Ruddy Old Block. Fixed for 3 months, 3 per Cent, per Annum. hai .- Hon. John Bell-Irving, and Mrs. Bell-THE GREAT WAKE SCENE. WALTER W. BREWER. On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per PUBLIC AUCTION. Irving, Messrs, James, J. Boll-Irving, Th. von | 27| DEATH OF HARVEY DUFF. UNDER HONGRONG HOTEL. Annum on the daily balance. Pustan, W. B. Thomson, Pirers y Bleza (Spanish Hongkong, 6th December, 1888. HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Consul), Rev. François Has For Yokohama.-GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .-APPROVED CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL TANE. CRAWFORD & PICTURES, PIANO, &c. Mrs. Soka Maki and amah, Messrs. E. Amsden BANK CORPORATION, in Liquidation, or the and A. Coy and servant. For Shanghai.—From BALANCES of such Claims purchased on HAVE RECEIVED THEIR FIRST SHIPMENTS FIRE Undersigned has received in tructions FITHE following Particulars of Sale of Crown Marseilles .- Mrs. Baud, Messrs. Giraldi, Doyon, CIRCUST advantageous terms. Agency of the NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE Land by Public Auction, to be held on SOCIETY. from dr. J. Cook, to Sell by Public Delohne, Malfrays, Tapponier, Cacault, and CHRISTMAS DELICACIES. Auction, on MENAGERIE. Banguis. From Singapore. Mr. Scharff. For MONDAY, Kobe.-From Marseilles.-Mr. and Mrs. Satue, TUESDAY, E. W. RUTTER. the 10th December, 1888, at 2 P.M., at the the 11th day of December, 1888, at 3 P.M., New Season's PUDDING FRUITS in Bulk, Messrs. Inabota, Takamatzu, and Delarbre. For Manager, Hongkong Branch. THIS (SATURDAY) NIGHT, are published for general information. "STAG HOTEL Yokohama.-From Marseilles -Mr. and Mrs. Sultana & Pudding Raisins, Zanto Currants. Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. Queen's Road Central, -Pernet. 4 children and servant, Messrs. Sho and By Command. EVERY NIGHT. ARATHOON SETH. THE WROLE OF HIS Satruidaira. From Singapore - Baron Graff T ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING FURNITURE, &c., At 8, commencing 9 P.M. sharp. for the Colonial Secretary. and servant, Mr. Chalk, Sisters Delphing, Sebas-SMYRNA FIGS. CORPORATION. tien, and Sabins. From Saigon.-Mr. Gaudry. Comprising . -Colonial Secretary's Office, CRETONNE-COVERED Shell Almonds, Brazil & Barcelons Nuts, Prime Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. PAID-UP CAPITAL'. ROOM SUITE, MARBLETOP TABLES, REPORTS. Ripe Stilton Cheese in Jars. Particulars of the letting by Public Auction MIRRORS, LACE CURTAINS, FEN-The British steamer Nanzing, from Manila Canadian Edam, Rochfort, Gorgonzola and RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7,500,000 Sale, to be held on TUESDAY, the 11th day DERS AND IRONS. PICTURES. 4th December, reports had strong monsoon from Stilton Cheese. of December, 1888, at 3.P.M., by Order of His GRAVINGS, COTTAGE PIANO, &c. N.N.E. and N.E., high sea, and clear weather. COURT OF DIRECTORS :--EXCELLENCY THE OFFICER ADMINIS-EXTENSION DINING TABLES, speak for themselves. CONFECTIONERY. Hon. JOHN BELL-IRVING-Chairman. The German steamer Ningpo, from Shanghai Fondants, Dragees, Fruit Pates, Pastilles, TERING THE GOVERNMENT, of Two CHAIRS, WHATNOTS, SIDEBOARDS, W. H. FORBES, Esq.—Deputy Chairman. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. 3rd December, reports had calm and misty wea-LOTS of CROWN LAND, in the Colony of CROCKERY, GLASS AND PLATED Nougatines, Legumes, &c., &c. PRICES OF ADMISSION :-ther on the river, anchored there for 12 hours. Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years. WARE, CUTLERY, &c., &c. W. G. Brodie, Esq. H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. J. S. Moses, Esq. Thereafter to this port had moderate N.E. winds CHOCOLATE CREAMS. BEDSTEADS AND MAT L. Poesnecker, Esq. + No. of Sale Butter Scotch, Cocoanut Ice, Everton Toffee J. F. Holliday, Faq. N. A. Siehs, Ean. TRESSES, WARDROBES, CHEST OF E. A. Solomon, Eaq. Hon. B. Layton, Lemon Toffee, Turkish Delight. DRAWERS, MARBLETOP WASHING. CHIEF MANAGER. SHANGHAI SHIPPING. STANDS, MARBLETOP DRESSING Hongkong-Thomas Jackson, Esq. COSAQUES & BONBONS. ARRIVALS. TABLES. CONITES. &c., &c. Manager. 22, Oepack, British str., from London. CHANDELIERS, LAMPS, &c. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Shanghai-Ewen Cameron, Esq. 22, Sinn-cheng, French str., from P. Arthur. A QUANTITY OF BED-LINEN AND TABLE. 26 LONDON BANKERS-LONDON & COUNTY BANK. Hongkong, 26th November, 1888. 23, Anadyr, French str., from Kobe. LINEN, ONE RICKSHA: 23, Orestes, British str., from Liverpool. will be provided for Ladies only. Hongkong-Interest Allowed. FOUR HANDSONE STREET LAMPS 23, Fuh Wo, British str., from Hankow. TELLY & WALSH, LIMITED On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 23. Yangtsze, German str., from Hongkong. per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. 23. Tangchow, British str., from Ningpo. HANDSOME TEAK-BUILT BAR FIX-Sir Morel Mackenzie's Frederick the Noble. On Fixed Denosits — TURES, COUNTERS, MIRRORS, 23, Hie-shin. Chinese str., from Foochow. Christmas Numbers "Illustrated London For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. 23, Chi-yuen, Chinese str., from Hougkong. News," "Graphic," "Illustrated Sporting and A LSO. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Appum. Two ENGLISH BILLIARD TABLES, 23, Sungkiang, British str., from Tientsin, Dramatic News," "Pictorial World." For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. 23, Wha-on, British str., from Hankow. good condition, with BALLS, CUES, modation of children 6.6 George Grossmith's a Society Clown. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. 24, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo. LA vi PS, &c., complete. Volumes for the Year of Harper's Young L. MAYA. CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and 24, Kiang-kwan, Chinese str., from Hankow. Prople, Little Wide Awake, Children's Friend, every description of Banking and Exchange (atalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, 24, Hae-chang, Chinese str., from Wenchow. Prize. Infants' Magazine, Little Folks Atalanta; Hongkong, 7th December, 1888. business transacted. and the above will be on view on SATURDAY P.M. 24, Fushun, Chinese str., from Hongkong. Every Boy's Magazine, Every Girl's Magazine, DRAFTS granted on London and the chief 24 Chin-tung, Chinese str., from Swatow. TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

G. R. LAMMERT, commercial places in—Europe,—India,—Australia, 24, Hae-ting, Chinese str., from Tientsin. ROYAL, New Percelain Panels representing Types of America. China and Japan. 24, Wuchang, British str., from Tientsin. Auctioneer. Beauty and Sketches of the London Season. T. JACKSON. CITY HALL. 24, Sual, British str., from Hankow. Hongkong, 4th December, 1888. New Glass Photo Frames in all sizes. Chief Managor. 120 24, Hideyoshi maru, Jap. str., from K'notzu. A Splendid Assortment of Mearschaum, Briar Hongkong, 4th September, 1888. 2-i, Ingo, German str., from Nagasaki. Root, Myall Wood, Cherry Wood, and Asbestos PUBLIC AUCTION. 24. Ping Ching, Chinese cruiser, from a cruise. Pipes, Moerschaum and Amber Cigar and 25, Tungchow, British str., from Ningpo. THE Undersigned has received instructions WILL PERFORM Cigarette Tubes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases 25, Rambler, British g-bt., from Chusan. DULES OF THE HONGKONG from Mrs. D'ALMADA REMEDIOS, to Sell Pouches, and Smoker's Requisite GILBERT & SULLIVAN'S OPERETTA 25, Yiksong, British str., from Newchwang. New Season's Ball Programmes, Menus and SAVINGS BANK by Public Auction, on 25, Pekin, British steamer, from Hankow. Annual Rt. "IOLANTHE." 76 % WEDNESDAY, Name Cards 25, Pao Hua, British str., from Hankow. the 12th December, 1888, at 2 P.M., at her "Ruddigore," Vocal Score. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be Upset Price 25, Johann, German str., from Nagasaki.

> Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 Just Published Price, 60 cents, to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at THE IMPERIAL ENGLISH AND CHINESE one time will not be received. No depositor GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION .--DATE BLOCK. may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. And Nearly Ready 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having THE IMPERIAL ENGLISH & CHINESE DIARY \$100 or more at their credit may at their option HE following Particulars of Sale of Crown KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-Land by Public Auction, to be held on hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for the spot, on

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Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the day of Delember, 1888, at 3 P.M., by Order of Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank | Bis Excellency the OFFI ERADMINIS

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25, Leo-yuen, Chinese trans., from P. Arthur.

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26. Peking, German str., from Hongkong.

26, Nierstein, German str., from Nagasaki.

3. Benvenue, British str., from Japan.

26, Caledonien, French str., from Hongkong.

3. Yerkshire, British str., from Hongkong.

27, Kinng-teen, Chinese str., from Ningpo,

27, Kiang yu, Chinese str., from Hankow.

27, Shinsheng, Chinese str., from Tientsin.

27, Kwongsang, British str., from Chefoo.

27, Hangehow, British str., from Newchwang.

7. Yamashiro-maru, Jap. str., from Japan.

Tungchow, British str., from Ningpo.

Falung, British str , from Newchwang.

28, Yoritomo-maru, Jap. str., from Kuchinotzu.

2', W. C. de Vries, British str., for Hankow.

Yuen Wo. British str., for Hankow.

22, Baikal, Russian str., for Vladivostock.

22, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

Newchwang, British str., for Swatow.

23. Salkio-maru, Japanese str., for Japan.

23, Kiang-yung, Chinese str., for Hankow.

23. El Dorado, British str., for Tientsin.

24. Saghalien, French str., for Hongkong.

24, Yaugtsze, German str., for Hongkong.

24. Sung-kinng, British str., for Tientsin.

24, Ospack, British str., for Japon.

24. Feima, British str., for Nagasaki.

24, Ichang, British str., for Hongkong.

25, Full Wo, British str., for Hankow,

25. Wha on, British str., for Hankow.

25, Toonan, Chinese str., for Chinkiang.

25, Wuchang, British str., for Tientsin,

25, Hae-shin, Chinese str., for Foochow.

25, Hee-ting, Chinese str., for Chefco.

25. Chi-yuen, Chinese str., for Amoy.

26, Ingo, German str., for Nagasaki.

27, Caledonien, French str., for Kobe.

26, Tungchow, British str., for Ningpo.

steamer Kungpai.

25, Fookehing, British str., for Wenchow.

25, Sinn cheng, French str., for Port Arthur.

25, Chintung, Chinese str., for the wrecked

7, Hideyeshi-maru, Jap. etr., for Nogasaki.

27. Fashun, Chinese str., for Hongkong.

27, Hae-chang, Chinese str., for Wenchow,

7. Pto Hus, British str., for Hankow.

27, Hae-an, Chinese steamer, for Chefoo,

28, Johann, German str., for Nagasaki.

28, Nierstein, German str., for Koba.

28. Orgetes, British str., for London.

28, Pekin, British str., for Hankow.

28, Yiksang, British str., for Chefoo.

Hongkong, 18th February, 1888.

28, Peking, British str., for Hongkong.

28, Shinsheng, Chinese str., for Chefoo.

28, Tungchow, British str., for Ningpo.

ERVICES are Conducted by Rev. J. A.

27. Klang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

28, Endeavour, British str., for Kutchinotzu.

27. Sual, British str., for Hankow.

27, Tameni, British str., for Amoy.

27, Klang-kwen, Chinese str., for Hankow.

24, Kiang-teen, Chinese str., for Ningpo.

25, Euphrates, British str., for New York.

23, Tungchow, British str., for Ningpo.

23, Kutsang, British str., for Swatow.

2, Primanguet, French corvette, for France.

22, Poo-chi, Chinèse str., for Tientsin.

27. Taku. British str., from Foochow.

27, A jax, British str., from Liverpool.

28, Cass, British str., from Tientain.

November DEPARTURES.

Smith, Chinese str., from Tameni.

26. Tameni, British str., from Swatow.

26, Taiwo, British str., from Hankow,

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Hongkong, December Sth. 1888.

THE most interesting point touched upon in the interview between Mr. DENKY and the representative of the North China Daily News is that of the alleged Russian intrigues 321,100. in Korea. Our contemporary, in a brief article, refers to Mr. DENNY's statement as explicit, but this discription seems to us very tius on December 1st. far from deserved. Either Mr. DEMNY spoke with considerable reserve or he is not so fully in the confidence of the King as from his position as His Majesty's adviser might be expected. "What do you think of the Russian intrigues in the Capital, will they will be resumed promptly at 11 a.m. to-day. By amount to much?" asked the reporter. "] do not believe very much in them," replied afternoon. Mr. DENNY. "I do not for a moment imagine that Russia would undertake the reover-Korea, and incur the enmity of China. Russia is all for conciliating China for the purpose of developing overland trade. Besides, the difficulty of governing a people like Kores, with little or no sympathy with Western methods, would be enormous, and every order would have to be enforced at the University of Munich. The chair has been he point of the bayonet perhaps. Such, move would at once turn the eyes of the Kereans with regret and longing towards China, from which the conduct of Yuan just now is calculated to turn them away. a I know that a few years ago a desperate attempt was made to bring about such consummation, but it did not succeed happily both for Korea and Russia. To such a policy I shall always offer my most strenuous objection, nor do I think that the King would ever be so foolish as to be led titled to some respect, but definite information would be more viluable. Mr. DENNY says he does not believe very much in Russian intrigues; but either there are intrigues going on or there are not, and in the former case what is their object and how far have they progressed? On these points the gentleman who, as Director of Foreign Affairs, aught to be most competent to give information, remains silent, it may be from prudential considerations, or it may be that although bolding the title of his office Mr. DENNY is kept- in the dark as to what is really transpitting. The latter is perhaps not of an organ. very improbable. The furious quarrel Mr sorbing his attention, and the Russian repart of the dog who came in and stole the

the statement contained in the Times teletectorate, it may now be taken for granted ration of the protectorate will not take place Korea, either under the name of a protectorate

his attitude. Korean independence having been declared. Russia's course would be much simplified : but if it suited her purpose she would show her hand without waiting for leaving on the morning of the 4th would prowriter in the Standard, commenting on the bably be the last this season.

SUAKIM. The 2nd Battalion King's Own Scottish Borderers, 25th Regiment, and one hundred

British mounted infantry from Caire have been ordered forthwith to Suskim. In the House of Commons Mr. W. H. Smith explained that the Government on learning the

steps deemed necessary to repel the continued attacks on Suskim offered the assistance of a certain number of British troops who were only to be employed in the immediate vicinity of the town, and this offer was accepted. It is not intended to stop the troops returning from India.

SUMMARY OF THE "KWANG-PAO."

In the Kwang-pao of the 6th instant appear the last part of the argument on the Thibetan question. Reverting to the operations carried on by the English, the writer explains that the motive which actuates their action is the desire to increase the extent of their colonies. That Thibet, he goes on to say, that has never concluded any Treaty with any outside powershould endeavour to resist their advance,

is as nothing compared with the importance have had recourse to other means than force of Russia's political aims, and it would, to settle any existing prievance. The country, he points out, is strategically strong for as soon as peace was restored the trade and possesses natural defences, which could be made impregnable. The present respite should be availed of to fortify the position, or else the opportunity may slip and nothing of any, use will be able to be done to prevent effectually the ad-

> A story is told-of the robbery of a cheque was presented for payment, but as the Bank had been previously advised payment was refused-The culprit is, however, still at large.

> An undutiful son, having tried his father's patience and exasperated him, is disowned and sent in to the authorities, according to Chinese custom. The wily son, however, endeavours to fabricate a story with a view to casting doubt upon the statements made by his parents. He tells the authorities with great volubility that his father has designs in view and that h has disposed of him in order to be the better able to carry them out. The authorities are so far inclined to discredit his report.

> That marriage is not all happiness and is state looked down upon by other than blue stock ings is testified by the rash determination of nineteen fair damsels of Hsin Ning, who came in a body to the banks of the river to find matrimonial state. They did not, it would appear, require much dissuading, as they were one and all turned away peacefully and have now become-the lions, if not the belies, of Hsin Ning.

The Canton robber is gifted with a boldness and shamelessness, not to say familiarity, quite, ful recollections on the part of the Koreans; of characteristic to his class. A couple of them I the last great invasion of their country by one enter into a house in the city and successfully of the Tycoons. some 9,000 piculs, has been sold at Manila for carry out some booty, but as the bait, it is presumed, was too great and attractive, they pay

the house a second visit the next day. The daily robberies that take place in Fatshau have induced the authorities to engage an additional force of braves to afford security during The Agents (Messrs Jardine, Matheson & the winter months; with their connivance, rob-

beries will probably become more numerous. A father in Canton is in great anguish con sequent upon the disappearance of his son Rewards are liberally offered for any infort tion that may be given.

kind permission of Colonel Anderson and Officers The presence of a remarkable fish in the nond of the Confucian temple has caused quite a stir in Canton. The fish measured six inches in length, was of a green colour, and its scales were embossed and looked like pearls.

The amour propre with which the majority of the students that go up for the yearly public examinations in China are gifted is well deunanccessful candidates, who never turned up at their homes in Kaochow, and of whose whereabouts othing is known. It is surmised that they

deep muddy river.

A man was seen dying in a crowded street of the city; every one went by heartlessly until a good samaritan turned up and by the timely administration of some simple remedy brought him back to life again.

MR. DENNY ON KOREAN AFFAIRS

Mr. O. N. Denny, Adviser to the King of A Bombay telegram of the 15th November | Korea, and Director of Foreign Affairs, has been protest against the categorical interview, as an institution, of which, the Reporter reminded him. Mr. Denoy's countrymen were the responsible patentees. Mr. Denny said he had no objection to speak, on Korean affairs, which he proceeded to do without much appearance reserve, save upon one or two personal points, and with great fluency of speech, and earnestness. The first part of the conversation was in a large

measure made up of a justification of his pamphlet which Mr. Denny said he was forced to write to explain his attitude towards the Chinese resident Yuan, and to place the outside world in possession of the latter's overbearing and blustering conduct towards the Korean Government. Denny expressed himself very forcibly upon the subject of Yuan's misconduct and attitude towhole of the Fathers. His Excellency the wards an independent King, who although a tributary of the Emperor of China, is, said he, and never has been a vassal of this

ing, when the Military Band will take the place empire. "But my chief wish in the line of an organ. Advisor, "is to preserve the good feeling and Yesterday afternoon's living hunt took place. harmony between China and Kores which have DENNY has been waging with YUAN, the Three bold constables arrayed in spotless uniforms always existed till the present time, and have Chinese representative, has latterly been ab- rambled down to Wong-nei-chong in search of six now only been interrupted by the unfortunate or seven stragglers from the various men-of-war and unbearable conduct of the Representative world. I know, but remember, you still have me." in harbour, and on arrival at the Valley the scent | Yuan." Mr. Denny laid great emphasis upon "Yes," said John, with another heartfelt was immediately picked up by one of the hounds, the fact that his position towards China, not groun; "that's just what I was thinking." the quarrel, may very well have acted the who espied in the far distance the clothing that withstanding his championing the cause of the stamps its wearer as a member of H.B.M. navy. "Hermit Kingdom" was as cordial and friend-Immediately a cross country chase began and ly as ever, while his feelings towards the Vicercy bone while the other two dogs were fighting after about ten minutes of this invigorating of Chihli were quite as cordial as before the sport the fleet limbs of the custodians of the present straining of the relations, between the While we were at first inclined to credit peace gained perceptibly on the whiskey bound two countries. Proceeding further, into the died members of the hunted parties, and it looked subject of the natural connection between China as if all was over. Jack Tar's ready wit, however, and Korea, Mr. Denny's language was even more gram that Korea had accepted a Russian pro- extended the combat somewhat, and the blue- unmistakable, and he spoke of the close bond of jackets separated and strode off in different directions and the past, drawn the for the people and the country and settled pertions, each making for one of the many good hiding two countries together. Korea having drawn we think, that at all events the formal decla- places that the valley is full of. After another largely upon China for her laws, religion, manhalf hour's search the limbs of the law succeed. ners, and customs, while the sympathies of the ed in capturing the whole of the deserters, in two peoples have always been in common, and | Signor Succi has successfully concluded his in every direction for him. The girl cannot Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—\$65 per doctors could not do in three years. I think I immediately. It would, however, be rash to the following places and positions: One, over- the language of Koren to-day is the language thirty days' fast at the Barcelona Exhibition. possibly recover. dismiss the statement as altogether without come by fatigue and wine, had fallen "upon the of" China of a thousand years ago. "But," He continued to fence and walk to the last, his foundation for the Nothing in the political discovered under a big clump of casti, from points to the closest intimacy and friendliness first meal was eaten in the presence of many the London Daily Telegraph, who died lately. Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$170 per the trouble for now nearly ten years. Any mediworld can be more certain than that Russia which, after many outs had been received by his lotween China and her peninsular neighbour, visitors, doctors, and journalists. It consisted was originally a money lender in a small way. is working for a preponderating influence in capturers, he was successfully bauled; the third who it is true has signed a 'ributary treaty with of sardines, soup, fried brains, reast fowl, beef. He lent a small sum on the Telegraph when it China Sugar Refining Company, Limited world. was up a tree in two senses, he had become the Emperor, China has no earthly right to claim steak, fruit, sweets, sada-water, Chianti and was a struggling paper, and the owner. Col. entangled between the low boughs of a big bam- under international laws or usage, or their his. Malaga wipes, and cigars. He says he will Sleigh was in pecuniary difficulties. Having Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$93 or in some other form, and it is extremely boo growth after several futile efforts to get out | torical relations, vassalage from Korea, which | soon attempt another fast probable that the way has been paved by an of reach and vision, and, when collared, had his has ever jealously preserved, and will, I hope, be neck firmly wedged in between two shoots; ever able; to preserve her independence und understanding if not by an actual treaty. Mr. | meek firmly wedged in between two shoots; ever able; to preserve ner independence and made the Telegraph the most largely circulated Hongkong and China Bakery Company. Limited DENNY says that what is simed at is Korean main; No. 4 was found located in the middle of well as international policy, by her more power. Bulgarian brigand whose hand has been making paper in England. Although advanced in years autonomy. The Shanghai correspondent of a Chinese shrine, making a vian effort to con- ful neighbour." In proof of this assertion Mr. | things lively in that country of late. He is a he superintended the minutest details almost Perak Tim Mining and Smelling Company ceal his head with a big bundle of joss sticks. Denny reverted to the several treaties which man of medium size, with broad shoulders, huge to the day of his death. He always insisted on the Standard, telegraphing five weeks ago, never giving heed to the ample pants and tell- Kores has concluded with European powers, and black monatache and a hand as white and soft as certain points of style. For instance, no parasaid that a declaration of the independence tale jacket sticking out under him; the fifth was, with the United States, in which it was ex- a woman's. He weares pictures que costume and graph was allowed to bogin with the article of the country might shortly be expected when captured, laving his heated head in an pressly stated in the pre

reason for the recent despatch of embassies to foreign Courts by Korea, Mr. Denny said the King had full powers, as he had to make foreign treaties, to send Ministers abroad, but when it reached the ears of Yuan that such step was about to be taken he instantly set himself against it, and endeavoured to frighten the King by threats and by every means in his sovereign, he had a perfectly legal right to do, as I have endeavoured to show in my pamphlet. But the obstructive and threatening action of

autonomy, the right for Kores to manage She is naturally a very rich country, but it would be foolish to imagine that all resources can be availed of before several years to come. But that there is an era of prosperity before the country Mr. Denny thought was clearly shown by the recent Customs returns, although the revenue from the exports. so far, has not compared favourably with that from imports: "The King," said Mr. Denny "is most anxious to see his dominions enriched by foreign trade and intercourse, but until the present political complications are disposed of he can do very little." On the subject of the statement recently published in the Mainichi Shimbun and reproduced by some of the foreign papers in not afraid of any danger of that sort, and the story was an invention which was suggested to some ingenious scribe by his (Mr. Denny's) peculiar position in Korea. Speaking of the policy of Japan in Seoul. Mr. Denny said that since the treaty with Korea in 1-76, the Japanese seemed to be directing all their efforts to the acquisition of commercial advantages and trade, and by friendly intercourse sought to wine out the main-

pressed himself as a non-believer in the general opinion that the great object of the Czar's representatives in the Far East is still to extend their territory by the annexation or protectorate of this direction, he gave it as his deliborate churches. The machines are of a design approopinion that no western power, without the great- priate to church architecture, and there are two est expense, trouble, responsibility and sacrifice of slots and two openings at the bottom of the malife could obtain a paramount position in Korea, chine, and by placing a nickel in one of the slots He thought that some kind of settlement was a small hymn book will drop down through the now approaching, and the sooner it came the opening into a tray. A nickel dropped into the better it would be for all parties. As far as he other slot will produce, by similar action, a himself was concerned, what he was striving for prayer book. The machines are constructed so was an amicable agreement with China, and a that the sexton can readily replace the books speedy return to the old paths of amity and har- after service. The patentee offers to supply the mony between the two countries. This, how- outfit, books and all, and divide the profit with ever was not what the Chinese Representative the church. by any means desired to see. Yuan is a military mandarin, with the smattering of military education after a fashion, and with an unlimited picted by the strange disappearance of several in Seoul, his leading idea being to come in in the top. The rim prevents the escape of the did not aim at results through the corce of drowned their sorrow and disappointment in the arms. His Majesty, according to Mr. Denny's | The hole in the top is not now, but we believe subjects in progressive ideas, and is anything but the vacillating and weak character which he is often represented to be. Strange as it may seem Mr. Denny does not speak Korean,—only a few words-and carries on his business with the King through an interpreter. One thing of importance which the reporter elicited in the interview was the fact that the commercial treaty between Russian and Korea which we recently reprinted from a Japanese, paper, and of which no confirmation has hitherto transpired. may be regarded as authentic. It was singed a couple of months ago by the President the Council and Mr. Denny on behalf of Korea, and M. Waeber, the Russian Minister at Seoul, and it has been or is about to be ratified. By this treaty important privileges are given to Russian traders in Korea, but there is no great political significance in that, said Mr. Denny, as all the other powers can claim the same privileges under the favoured nations clause. Mr. Denny is a firm believer in the auriferous wealth of Korea, and believes that when the present placer mining is superseded by better methods of extraction, the amount of gold produced will be enormously increased. An even surer source of wealth he believes also exists in the great timber tracts in the North of the Pen-

OLLA PODRIDA.

John Dunn, the renegade Zulu leader, has entirely renounced olvilization and has taken two or three dozen Zulu wives. By birth he is a Scotchman. His father was a trader in Natal. John went out to South Africa when very young and has never returned. He traded among the Zulus for his father, and by and by took a liking

Visitor (condolingly): "She was a model mo-

ther, Mr. Higgins." Widower: "Yes. She were. The late Mrs. Higgins had her faults, but as a mother there weren't her skal in ferty here p" "Probably I'm addicted to it," was mile o' here. That's our fourteenth out there Mrs. Dusenberry's meek reply. "Well, it is a playin' in the sand." vice you'd better get rid of then. Refined con-They have odd ideas of the drama in Sheffield.

Wilson Barrett has been acting Claudian there. One evening a woman here was urging her hus- him. I'll ____ Just then he saw the commisera- Songei Koyah Planting Company-\$40 per band to hurry on with her to the theatre. "They say that Barrett is a fine man, and that hat suddenly, and, mumbling something about he's almost naked," sho observed, as an inducement to her husband not to tarry on the way.

Duke of Sparta, to Princess Sophia of Prussia, will retire to a beautiful estate in Denmark. His Majesty intends to drop the title of King, power, from doing what, as an independent as he objects to being termed "ex-King." He will call himself by one of the minor titles in his family.

in gift for the Russian Imperial visitors when they were at Constantinople last month, and his lavish generosity has excited piercing cries in the Capital, will they amount to much?" the from his troops, officials, and servants, none of whom can obtain a piastre of his pay, which is them. I do not for a moment imagine that many months in arrear. The Grand Duchess Russia would undertake the responsibility of Serge (Princess Elizabeth of Pesse) was pre-

> Experiments have been tried on the Welsh fish in a most wonderful manuer."

ittle house near the Trecadere. A youngster named Eugene Bloc. 14 years of age, fell in love with a plaster cast of Venus that was in his write mount nothing. father's house. Young Engine would gaze at the statue for hours, and would get up at night to look at it. This lasted a month. The father pecame angry as his son did not work and neglected his studies. So the father broke the statue into pieces. Eugene was so much affected that he went to his bed room, twisted a sheet

An honest man is the entertaining M. Max O'Rell. He is writing a book on America and has taken a partner into the concern. The partner is a Boston "elevator-boy." The lively Gaul questioned the boy one day about his experiences with the queer people he came across, and the little fellow told one or two very original anecdotes. He was promptly taken into partnership. and an agreement was actually drawn up between the author and the elevator-boy, by which the Japan, to the effect that his life had been several juvenile genius became a callaborator in writing times threatened of late, Mr. Denny said he was the book, and will get one dollar on every thou-

> well of me to my face. Jobson, and while not allowed to accompany them on such occa-I have no reason to believe that you do other- sions, and they conduct themselves for the time wise behind my back. I think it does not harm | being in a very masterful and masculine manner a man to be criticised by his friends-to be told They are decked out in coats and all the finery bis little faults. I know I'm not perfect, and I | they can berrow from their husbands and sweetwould be glad to have you remind me of the hearts, and they flourish their spears, axes, and fact sometimes."—Jobson: "Tell you of your faults?"—Jepson: "Yes; criticise me, tell me what your honest private opinion of me is. That's what I want."-Jobson: "Jepson, you that has been visited goes out on a similar exare six feet two, and I am five feet four, and you want me to give you my honest private opinion of you?. No, sir. Jepson, my boy, I'm no fool! evil spirit is safely conducted out of the district

A Philadelphia inventor has secured a patent on a new adaption of the nickel automatic slot Mr. Denny went even further in machine which is intended to be placed in

> The real secret of the Baldwin parachute and never before been tried in a parachute, and is success, when used with his pluck and nerve.

his wife)—It would afford you some amusement.

Large man (confusedly)-Y-no! No! I didn't Small man resumes his writing. Large man

The male aristocracy of the Southern States | Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares young ladies who do not return their love. A China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$77 a 2s. 6d. bottle of ree. In a few days he sent me young man in South Carolina, who is represented to have the highest social standing in that | Straits Marine Insurance Company, Limited - the bottle. He then sent to me for a 4s. 6d. State, has been running down with his horse and fatally injuring a young girl of equally Straits Fire Insurance Company, Limitedaristocratic family who declined to marry him! \$166. The young lady, with some friends, was on her Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company's him out in the garden weeding an onlon bed. I way to church through the country roads when this gallant and determined lover evertook the Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s party. As soon as he saw the young lady he ! put spurs to his horse and deliberately ran the Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Sharesgirl down, she being fearfully wounded by the horse's hoofs. The lover then escaped on his China and Manile Steamship Company, Limited steed, and armed men are scouring the country

foreclosed. Levy, with the assistance of his Moss, started on his journalistic career. He l

having an appointment at the office, fled. King George of Greece, who contemplates abdication after the marriage of his son, the

Upwards of £20,000 was spent by the Sultan

coast with the electric light in connection with fishing with nots in the sea. Two nets were let down at night, one being furnished with an Edison-Swan glow lamp. That net. when raised was full of fish; but the other, to which no lamp was attached, was almost empty. The light was then shifted to the other net, both nots were tried without lamps, and both nets lamps. The results in all these cases went t show that the electric light attracted the

A curious case of suicide has occurred, in round his neck, and strangled himself.

the feature which renders the invention a suit and unfortunate belief in the creed of force as a lable subject for a patent is the perpendicular panacea for all political ills. His object all edge. The parachute, in fact, resembles a saucealong had been to excite and foment disturbance pan lid with the handle removed and a hole made with a thinese Army and carry everything air when the parachute is tilted by a breeze, before him by force of arms. This was while the hole at the top acts as a safety-valve what Mr. Denny strove to avert. The Koreans and by permitting the passage of air steadies the apparatus and prevents it turning upside down, opinion, is a long way in advance of most of his that the rim perpendicular to the outer edge has probably the secret of "Professor" Baldwin's

> Small man (on railway train, writing letter to my dear, if you could see the freekle-faced, long, lean, gamble-shanked, knock-kneel, sneaking; impertinent, illbred, half-backed specimen of a backwoods gawky that is looking over my shoulder as I write this ——

Large man on seat behind (fiercely)—You lie.

Small man (turning round)—Bog pardon, sir: are you speaking to me? say anything. I wasn't speaking. I — I —. goes to the rear platform of the last car on the train and relieves his mind by swearing volubly ! at the fiying landscape.

Effingham, in Illinois, boasts of a Temperance paner edited by a lady, who is, of course ready to resort to the most intemperate methods of championing her cause, and who lately con- Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-156 ceived the bright idea of promoting sobriety the persons seen drunk in the streets. Brilliant as the conception was, it has not been found to work quite smoothly in practice. worthy citizen of the place woke up one fine morning to find himself undeservedly famous, his name having been pilloried in the black list. failed to substantiate her accusation and was justice who heard the case. Libel is a cheap luxury at Effingham.

and that the Russian and American results were supporting the Rings in commands to the lockup.

all chemists and medicine vendors, and by the mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a mouth. He is devoutly religious and holds services begin with a similar word. He never wrote a line of the said line, however, himself. He is believed to have Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li. proprieters, A. J. White, Limited, 85, Farring to the lockup.

Presentatives were supporting the Ring in commands to the lockup.

gov nor, and this morning I heard him tell Bridget, 'Let her go: Gallagher!' Where does he pick up such abominable stuff?" "Goodness only knows." Mrs. Dusenberry said, with a again he'll make a home run of the liveliest kind." "He may hear some of it at home," suggosted Mrs. Dusenberry, with motherly blandness.

'At thome?' cried Mr. Dusenberry. "You are entirely off your base, my dear. Who uses slang versation is a mark of culture. Let me hear that kid use slang again and I'll give it to him right off the bat. I'll wipe up the floor with ting look on his wife's face. He nicked up his

The American journal Science describes the experiences of a gentleman who placed himself under the influence of hasheesh. He smoked it until he felt a profound sense of well-being, and then put the pipe saide. Afer a few minutes he seemed to become two persons: he was conscious of his real self reclining on a lounge, and of why he was there; his double was in a vast building of gold and marble, splendidly brilliant, and beau-tiful beyond all description. He falt an extreme gratification, and believed himself in heaven. This double personality suddenly vanished, but reappeared in a few minates. His real self was undergoing rhythmical spasms throughout his body; the double was a marvellous instrument, producing sounds of exquisite sweetness and perfeet rhythm. Then sleep ensued, and all ended. Upon another occasion shop and waking came and went so rapidly that they seemed to be con, fused. His double seemed to be the sea, bright. and tossing as the wind blow; then a continent. Again, he smoked a double dose, and sat at his table pencil in hand, to record the effects. ost all conception of time. He rose to open a a door, and it seemed to take a million vesrs. He went to pacify an angry dog, and endless ages seemed to have passed when he returned. Conceptions of space retained their normal character. He felt an unusual fulness of mental impressions—enough to fill volumes. He understood clairvoyance, hypnotism, and all else. He was not one man or two, but several men living at the same time in different places with different occupations. He could not write one word without hurrying to the next, his thoughts flowing with enormous rapidity. The few words he did

At the last meeting of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal a description was given of a peculiar custom among the aboriginal tribes of Ranchi, a group of hamlets in Chota Nagpore. It is known as the Era Sendra, or women's hunt. On the present occasion the object was to expel the cholora demon, and it is usual when any great calamity overtakes the land for the women to dress themselves up in mea's clothes, arm themselves, and go out to hunt, not in the jungles, but in the nearest villages east of them. They chase pigs and fowls, and everything they kill is theirs. They also levy blackmail from the heads of the yillages for the purchase of liquor The villagers cannot prevent the slaughter of their animals, but the headmen generally compromise matters by giving the huntressees a pig and paying a small sum. Towards evening the hunting party retires to a neighbouring stream, where they cook and eat the meat and drink the liquor. They eat nothing after Jepson: "I notice that you always speak this meal, but bathe and return bome. Men are sticks, beat their iron drums, shout, sing hunt ing songs and dance just as the men do. The ceremony begins in the west, and each village cursion to its neighbours, but always to the east. By this means it is supposed that the without offending its dignity. One village near Ranchi is an exception. It is called Mahadaiva or devoted to Mahadev, and there the Amazona are not allowed to enter, as it is supposed to be under the special protection of its patron saint. If cholera appears there, it is because the

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before it can disappear

FRIDAY, 7th December. OPIUM. Quotations are:-

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Quotations are:per cent. premium. in the town by publishing a monthly list Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$90 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Sharet-

\$72 per share.

North China Insurance—Tls. 290 per share. Yangteze Insurance Association-Tis. 974 per He brought an action against the editress, who Chinese Insurance Company, Limited-\$165 per and for the whole of the winter of 1878 and 79, duly muleted in the sum of five dollars by the | On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tis. 148 | per ahare. Canton Insurance Office. Limited-297

per share, buyers.

Shares-120 per cent. prem. 20 per cent. discount, ---\$165 per share.

Hongkong Gas Company's Shares-8135 per

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bother and a theatrical bill printer named Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-194 per -S85 per share.

Company, Limited—\$9 per share.

Telegrams were received at Shanghai from Seoul Korea has had her motives misconstrued. She: "Now, Captain Murphy, if you don't at least state on the 2nd instant, announcing that is don't at and her position vis a vis China misstated by once cease your flatteries, I shall have to hold los was beginning to form in the Peiho and the foreign press in China and Japan. Mr. both my sarashut." My adorable Miss O'Dowd," complaining tone. He talks flout me as the Hongkong & Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Limited-8167 per share, buyers. Singapore Insurance Company, Limited-81 per share, nour. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-3 per cen

promium, nom. "of Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent premium, nom. Chinese Imperial Loan, 1886 E-12 per cent premium: nom. Société Française des Charbonnages du Topkin -110 per.cent. prem., nom. Hongkong High Level Tramways Company,

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INTERESTING LETTER FROM A VETERAN

As this is Jubilee year it tends to make one ok back and think of the flight of time, and in this way I am reminded that I am one of the velerans in the sale of your valuable and successful medicine. I have sold it from the very first; and have sent it into every county in England and many parts of Scotland. Well do I remember Mahadev is offended, and he must be propitiated the first circular you sent out some nine or ten years ago. You had come to England from America to introduce Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, and I was struck by a paragraph in which you used these words: -" Being a stranger in a strange land, I do not wish the people to feel that I want to take the least advantage over them. I feel that I have a remedy that will cure disease, and I have so much confidence in it that I authorise my agents to refund the money if reople should say that they have not benefitted by its use." I felt at once that you merit, and Implied for the agency, a step which I now look back upon with pride and satisfaction. Ever since that time I have found it by far the best remedy for Indigestion and Dyspepsis I have met with and I have sold thousands of bottles. It has never failed in any case where

there were any of the following symptoms:-Nervous or sick headache, sourness of the stomach, rising of the food after eating, a sense of fulness and heaviness, dizziness, bad breath. slime and mucus on the gams and teeth; constipation, and yellowness of the eyes and skin, dull and sleepy sensations, ringing in the ears, heartburn, loss of appetite, and, in short, wherever there are signs that the system is clogged, and the blood is out of order. Upon repeated inquiries, covering a great variety of ailments, my customers have always answered "I am better," or "I am perfectly well." What I have seldom or never seen before in the case of any medicine is that people tell each other of its virtues, and those who have been cured say to the suffering: "Go and get Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup, it will make you well." Out of the hundreds of cures I will name one or two that happen to come into my mind.

Two old gentlemen, whose names they would not like me to give you, had been martyrs to Indigestion and Dyspensia formany years. They had tried all kinds of medicine without relief. One of them was so bad he could not bear a glass of ale. Both were advised to use the Syrup and both recovered and were as hale and hearty as men in the prime of life.

A remarkable case is that of a house painter named Jeffries, who lived at Penshurst, in Kent. His business obliged him to expose himself a great deal to wind and weather, and he was seized with rhenmatism, and his joints soon swelled up with dropsy, and were very stiff and painful. Nothing that the doctors could do seemed to reach the seat of the trouble. It so crippled him that he could do hardly any work he had to give up and take to his bed. He hadbeen afflicted in this sorry way for three years, and was getting worn out and discouraged. Besides, he had spent over £13 for what he called "doctor's stuff" without the least benefit. In the Spring he heard of what Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup has done for others and bought word he was much better-before he had finished bottle, and as I was going that way I carried it down to him myself. On getting to his house what was my astonishment and surprise to find could hardly believe my own eyes, and said:--"You ought not to be out here, man, it may be the death of you, after being laid up all win-

ter with rheumatism and dropsy." His reply was :- "There is no danger. The weather is fine, and Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup has done for me in a few days what the

shall zetiwell new." He kept on with the Syrup, and in three weeks he was at work again, and has had no return of cine that can do this should be known all over

Yours faithfully. RUPERT GRAHAM. Of GRAHAM & SON Holloway House, Sunbury.

Middlesex. 🔑 🗆 June 25th, 1887. The above wonderful cure of Rheumatism was the result of the remarkable power of Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup to cleanse the blood of

tion and Dyspensis. Mother Seigel's Curative Syrup is for sale by all chemists and medicine vendors, and by the

that event. An evidently well informed telegram above referred to and on an earlier telegram reporting the conclusion of a secret compact with Russia, says :- " Having in mind the axiom that it is always the unexpected that happens, more especially in politics, it would, perhaps, be unwise to dismiss the report of the conclusion of a secret treaty between Russia and Korea as a mere canard invented by one of the adventurers now exploiting the latter country, but it

For Cout and Indigestion. much more likely." But a declaration of independence would probably be found The best Mild Aperion for Delicate Constituito be only a stepping stone to Russian annexation. The reasons advanced by Mr. DRNNY against entertaining this idea are almost too feeble for notice, except the main one, that of incurring the enunty of

China. Annexation would involve the risk, almost the cortainty of war, but the strugglo might possibly not be very much more serious than was that between France and China with reference to Tonquin. That, of course, would depend on China's position at the time. The idea that Russia would be deterred by fear of endangering her overland trade with Chins, as suggested by Mr.

must be confessed that the probabilities are

not greatly in favour of its verification. A

declaration of .independence would seem-

DENNY, is absurd. The value of that trade is but natural, and the English should mereover, he only temperarily jeopardised, would not souly be re-established on its former footing, but with Kores in Russia's possession, would be largely increased. The difficulty of governing a people like the

Koreans, with little or no sympathy with European methods, is another puerile reason by a Chinese gentleman's servant. The cheque advanced against the supposition that Russia has aggressive designs. Russis, he well as England and France, is not without experience in governing Asiatic nations as little in sympathy with European methods as Korea. The more fact that Russia endeavoured once before to establish protecturate is very good ground for believing that she has not abandoned her

intention, for the continuity of Russian policy is proverbial. With her enormous territory in Siberia, Russia is by the very force of circumstances compelled to seek the extension of her Asiatic seaboard southwards. and the ultimate annexation of Korea will be prevented only, if at all, by the resistance of an equal or stronger power. In a few years more it will be possible to move troops by a watery grave rather than live and enter the rail from European Russia to Vladivostock, and

will assuredly seek an extended coast line.

The Shanghai Mercury has been enlarged to The sugar salved from the Tamar E. Marshall,

when that time arrives, if not before, Russia

Sir John Pope Hennessy was to leave England to resume his duties as Governor of Mauri-

Co.) inform us that the Indo-China steamer Taisang, from Calcutta, left Singapore on Thursday for this nort. The cricket match Civilians v. 58th Regiment,

of the Regiment the Band will play during the On Sunday morning, between 9 and 10.30 clock, the steam launch carrying the Bethel sponsibility of establishing a protectorate flag will call alongside any vessel hoisting code penant C. to convey men ashore to 11 a.m. ser-

> vice at St. Peter's Seamen's Church, returning It is reported that Dr. F. Hirth, Deputy Commissioner and Assistant Statistical Secretary, I.M.C., who lately went home on furlough, has been offered the chair as Professor of Chinese at vacant for some time past. Dr. Hirth is likely

The steamer Benmore, belonging to Messra. Kim Seur & Co., and formerly running between Singapore and Penang via the Native States. has, says the Free Press, been sold to Mr. Lee Keng Kiat of the firm of Keng Yong Bros. for the sum of \$17,000. The Benmore, after undergoing repairs, will be put on the Borneo Line by her new owners, and Messrs. Kim Seng & Co. will get a larger steamer from home to replace her.

to accept the post.

stated that the steamer Vailurna was six days interviewed by a representative of the N. C. overdue from Cutch to Mandvie, a journey of a Daily News. After a mild and good natured few hours. A telegram of the 20th November to into such a mistake." All this is very vague, the Rangoon Gazette says that all hope of the Mr. DENNY's speculations are no doubt en. safety of the Vailurna had been abandoned, twelve days having elapsed without any tidings of her. A private letter states that 1,328 persons were on board, but the owners believe 700 to be outside the number.

Yesterday morning at 7 o'clock the dedication ceremony of the new Roman Catholic Cathedral was performed. Mgr. Bourdon, Bishop of Burmah, conducted the service, which consisted of. various sprinkling coromonies inside and outside the building and the chanting of the Litany. Father Burghignoli delivered an address in Porturness, and at the conclusion of the address Bishop Bourdon recited mass, assisted by the Acting Governor, Hon. F. Stewart, was present. High mass is to be celebrated this morn-

. [FROM BINGAPORE PAPERS.] LONDON, 28th November.

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

creeks, and suggesting that it would not be Denny, as a case in point, referred to erroneous gallantly answered the bowld officer, "Yo advisable to despatch ateamers from Shanghai and misleading statements in the Chinese Times, purty little hunds are far too shmall for that." to that port after the 3rd, so that the steamers that a treaty of vassalage was concluded between Korea and a Manchu prince in 1637. "Now this The Emperor, of Austria has sent new and is errongous," said Mr. Denny. "The treaty by splendidly ornamented uniforms to the officers well simulated look of ignorance. "At school which the writer endeavours to place Kores in and men for the regiment of Prussian Hussars, I suppose," continued Mr. Dusenberry, a false position, was concluded in 1636 with a of which he is the Colonel, as a memorial of the those Darringer boys. He is altogether too fly. prince in open rebellion against the then ruling Emperor William's visit to Vienna. The gift that boy, and if I catch him with those boys dynasty; and under no rule of international law cost £5,000. that I have ever read, can it be construed into a treaty of vassalage to China. It was ten years anterior to the wresting of the Chinese throne from the Mings by the Manchu dynasty that this treaty was concluded with a Manchu prince. Japan might as well claim Korea as a vassal state, because Korea was some couple of hundred years ago in the habit of sending tribute to the Tycoon. Nor has there ever been, since

1636, any treaty made with China that by any possibility of reasoning could be twisted into a treaty of Korea's vassalage." In reply to a question as to the genuine

Yuan had only the effect of confirming the King in his determination to send his representatives to Western Courts." "What do you think of the Russian intrigues reporter asked. "I do not believe very much in establishing a protectorate over Kores, and sented with a superb medallion which cost £8,000. incur the enmity of China. Russia is all for conciliating China for the purpose of developing overland trade. Besides the difficulty of gono sympathy with Western methods, would be enormous, and every order would have to be enforced at the point of the bayonet perhaps. Such a move would at once turn the eyes of the Koreans with regret and longing towards China. from which the conduct of Yuan inst now is calculated to turn them away. I know that a few years ago a desperate attempt was made to bring about such a consummation, but it did not succeed, happily both for Korea and Russia. To such a policy I shall-always offer my most strenuous objection nor do I think that the King would ever be so foolish as to be led into such a mistake. What is aimed at is Korean own affairs at home and abroad, and to develope the natural resources of the country. I have great confidence in the future of Korea.

As to the ulterior aims in Korea of the Russian Government. Mr. Denny, once more

ment from China, freeing herself from the pernicious influence of the Chinese Representative.

insula, which even now exports large quantities

of valuable wood to China, and in conclusion he

expressed himself sanguine of .Korea's future

prosperity, if she succeeds in getting fair treat

"Don't fret, John," said Mrs. Wiggings, 'you've lost nearly everything you had in the

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INSURANCES. THE LONDON ASSURANCE	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST, A.D. 1720.	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:— FIRE DEPARTMENT:	NOTICE,
ourrent rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT	"GUADIANA," Antwerp, Ex S. S. "RO MANUL," Havre, Ex S. S. "GUADIANA,
Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, 26th July, 1872	connection with above Steamer, are hereby in formed that their Goods, with the exception of
COMPANY, LIMITED, ESTABLISHED 1870.	lauded and stored at their risks at the Conpany's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless
HRAD OFFICE,—Hongkong. CAPITAL TWO MILLION DOLLARS. PAID UP CAPITAL	before 5 P.M., TO-DAY (THURSDAY), request ing it to be landed here.
RESERVE FUND 650,000 CLAIMS PAID 626,000 BONUSES PAID 369,000 RISKS accepted at CURRENT RATES OF PREMIA.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by th Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after THURS DAY, the 13th instant, at Noon, will b
JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary. Hongkong, 30th March, 1888. [71]	subject to rent and landing charges at On Cent per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before the 15th inst: (SATURDAY), or they will no
NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Com-	be recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Pany, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates. GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, 1st January, 1882.	Hongkong, 6th December, 1888. [2] FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND.
GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY	SINGAPORE. THE Steamship
Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	Capt. Vess, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersign
Hongkong, let April, 1885. [661] RANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE	nature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon.
The Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT BISKS against EVER at Company.	TO-MORROW, the 7th inst. Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Pier and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk
Rates. SIEMSSEN & Co., Aconts.	and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 13th inst., will be subject
Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. 15 NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY AT HAMBURG.	to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 13th inst., at 4 P.M.
Company, are prepared to GRANT IN- SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000 on first-	No Fire Insurance has been effected. SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents.
MELCHERS & Co Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.	Hongkong, 6th December, 1886 [2250] NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA PENANCIAND
HEAD OFFICE—HONGRONG.	FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship "APPATIOON ADDAR"
CAPITAL (Subscribed), \$1,000.000. EOARD OF DIRECTORS,	"AERATOON APCAR," having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of cargo are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hong-
	KONG AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S GODOWNS at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 10th
Contributory Dividends are payable to all	instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will
Shareholders of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN, Secretary.	be entertained after the 8th instant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,
HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. [1781] HEAD OFFICE	Hongkong, 4th December, 1888 [2 26] CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANTPOLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Corrent Rates	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "DUKE OF WESTMINSTER,"
DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for the Phoenix Fire Office. Hongkong, 17th August, 1887.	FROM SAN FRANCISCO, VANCOUVER, YOKOHAMA, AND KOBE. THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-
COMPANY.	signees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.
The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com- pany, are prepared to A CLPT RISKS	Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at consigness risk and expense. ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,.
Hongkong 16th July, 1887. Agonts. I19 NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY	Agents. Hongkong. 1st December, 1888. "GLEN" LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents, in conjunction with MESSES. TURNER & Co., for the above Company are	FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.
prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. W. HEWETT & Co. Hongkong, 8th June, 1888.	"GLENFRUIN," having arrived from the above ports, Consignees
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG. I Undersigned, Agents of the above	of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the godowns of the Hongroup and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited,
RISKS at Current Rates. PUSTAU & Co.,	AT KOWLOON, whence delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO- DAY.
PHOTOGRAPHS! PHOTOGRAPHS!	Cargo remaining undelivered after the 8th instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consigness are requested to present all claims for
PHOTOGRAPHS! HE Undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has just received New Instruments	damages and/or shortages not later than the 15th instant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
of the latest invention for Photographing in all its—Branches, and respectfully solicits the patronage of those wishing to be photographed. To ensure the excellence of all his productions	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 1st December, 1888. [2203]
he has called to his assistance a thoroughly ex- perienced man from his famous Studio in Nagasaki. Charges are extremely low, and punctuality	OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer
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KONG.	THE Steamship "ARRATOON APCAR."	day of August last, and is now in no way or nected with my Firm or Business; and authority either to sell or purchase or for a	n- all For Frei	ght or Passage, ap	ply to . BELL & Co.,	rates. Special reduced of the Army, Navy.	rates granted to Officers Civil Service, and the toms, to be obtained on	
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Esq. NG PENG, Esq.	are being landed at their risk into the Hong- kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at West Point, whence	sold by me will bear my old Hong Name "MAEN SHING" and without this nar attached none will be genuine, and any bran	of FOR NE	W YORK VIA S		Connecting Lines, Ce Pacific or Canadian Pa	ntral Pacific, Northern cific Railways.	
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How the Night We T. o George sat opposite to him, his hands on hi kness, the red night cap on his head, and a comical expression of astonishment upon his melancholy countenance.

"Well," he said, when Harold had done "blowme, if that ain't a master one. And yet there's folks who say that there ain't no such thing as vet-n'raps there ain't nawthing there after all.' "I don't know if there is or not, but I'm going back to see, and I want you to come with me now.'

"Now P" said George, rather uneasily. "Why Colonel, that haint a very nice anot to go digheard no good of that there place not as I holds about wire with which to tie on their skulls. by sich talk myself." he added, apologetically,

banker chap's too. You wait a minute, Colonel, stone chests in which the very ancient inhabit. it?" and I'll come along, gale and ghostesses and all. ants of this island buried the ashes of their | Harold thought for a minute, and then exted

that's all." and he retired to put on his boots, came the uncremated skeletons? Presently he appeared again, his red nightonn still on his head, for he was afraid that the wind would blow a hat off, and carrying an unlighted some among them who had fallen in battle. lantern in his band "Now. Colonel. I'm ready, sir, if you be, and they started. The gale was, if anything, flercer than ever.

tion of the timber by ten o'clock that morning arms he had been left to his last sleep with hi amply testified This here wind must be like that as the as blew the top of the church tower off on a Christmas night," shouted George: but Harold ward without speaking car hard, for their voices were almost inaudible. Unce the Colonel stopped and pointed to the sky-line. Of all the row of tall poplars which he had seen bonding like white before the wind as he came along but one

venished also. Reaching the summer-house in safety, they entered, and the Colonel shut and looked the door behind them. The frail building was literally rocking in the fory of the storm.

"I hope the roof will hold," shouted George, but Harold took no heed. He was thinking of other things. They lit the lanterns, of which they now had three, and the Colonel slid down into the great grave be had so industriously dug. motioning to George to follow. This that worthy did, not without trepidation. Then they bot knelt and stared down through the hole in the masonry, but the light of the lanterns was not strong enough to enable them to make out any-

thing with clearness. "Well," said George, falling back upon his favourite expression in his amazement, as he drew his nightcapped head from the hole, "if that ain't a master one. I niver saw a masterer that's all." "What be you agoing to do now, Colonel! Hev vou a ladder here 🖰

'No." answered Harold. "I never thought of that, but I've a good rope: I'll get it." Scrambling out of the hole, he presently returned with a long coil of stout rope. It belonged to some men who had been recently employed in cutting bought off such of the oaks as needed attention-

· They undid the rope and let the end down t see how deep the pit was. When they felt that the end lay upon the floor they pulled it up. The depth from the hole to the bottom of the pit appeared to be about sixteen feet or a trifle more. Harold took the iron crowbar, and having made the rope fast to it fixed the bar across the mouth of the aperture. Then he doubled the skeleton sitting in the stone bath? It must turies ago, into the chest, and returned for an the pit, preparatory to climbling down it.

about Dead Man's hourt at night, in the ardour pelvis rested on the stone bottom of the kist. of his burning curios tv. he took the dark lantern and holding it is his teeth passed his body through the hole in the masonry and cantionsly elid down the rope.

tremulous with excitement, for was not his life's | chattering. "It should be here or hereabouts, fortune trembling on the turn?

and Harold looking down could see that he was shoulder blade of some deceased here. Harold holding the lantern above his head and staring using it as a trowel, began to scoop away the at something very hard. echoed up through the pit, the lastern was drep- come to the bottom of the kist.

to be arritated with the utmost violence. cap appeared through the hole followed by a face | stone, or the kist had a false bottom. that was literally livid with terror.

he'll hav me by the leg!"

panting man through the hole. was through the hole and out of the grave. In- crash overhead.

and half way down the mount by now. ing on the edge thereof. "It's a blessed ghost, that's what it is, ('olo-

nel." answered George, keeping his eyes fixed for centuries, open to the sky. upon the hole as though he momentarily expected to see the object of his fears emerge. "Nonsense," said Harold, doubtfully, "What | we should have gone too." rubbish you talk. What sort of a ghost?" "A white un," said George, "all bones like."

"All bones?" answered the Colonel: "why it must be a skeleton. "I don't say that he sin't," was the answer, bring that other lantern." airing of hisself in a stone bath."

"but if he be, he's seven foot high, and sitting "Oh, rubbish," said the Colonel. "How can a excleton sit and air himself? He would tumble to bite.

"Well," said the Colonel, argumentatively, " a eftract stones from the hoofs of horses. This skeleton is a perfectly harmle s thing. "Yes, if he's dead may be, sir, but this one's fore it broke to pull up a fragment of stone. alive. I saw him nod his head at me."

his nerve altogether. "I'm not going to be levered away at it. seared. Great heavens, what a gust! I'm going Half of the great down to see for myself." "Very good, Colonel," answered George, "and I'll wait here till, you come up again-that is if

you iver du.' Thrice did Harold look at the hole and thrice like false Sexton did he shrink back.

"Come," he shouted angrily, "don't be an infernal fool, get down here and hand me the lantern."

"George obeyed with evident trepidation. Then Harold got through the hole, and with the flat of their backs. The stone had given many an inward tremor, for there is scarcely a with a run. man on the earth who is really free from ! supernatural fears, descended hand over hand. But in so doing he managed to let the lantern There was something soft beneath it. fall and it went out. Now as the reader will probably admit this was exceedingly trying. It is not pleasant to be left alone in the dark underground in the company of an unknown. "spook." He had some matches, but what between fear and cold it was some time before he could get a light. Down in this deep place the rush, of the great gale reached his ears like a faint and melancholy sighing, and he heard other tapping noises, too, or he thought he did, noises of a greepy and unpleasant nature. Would the matches mover light? The chill and deathlike damp of the place struck to his marrow and the cold sweat poured from his brow. Ah! at

chest or coffin, like a man in a hip bath which is place of those unknown warriogs -AUTHOR.

move its head? The head ought to fall off. first effort of mounting.

him back to his senses. then setting his teeth, turned and tottered one should enter. straight at the Horror in the chest.

Providence—not that there's anything provided straight against the thing, examined it. It was had uncorthed in that dread place, shaking with a skeleton of enormous size, and the skull was the reaction of their first excitement, and scarcefixed to the vertebra with rusty wire. At this evidence of the handlwork of man his fears almost vanished. Even in that company he could not help remembering that it is scarce- top coins, which were very tightly packed, till

the hole, too; the gas must be out of it by now. Some of this rubble had fallen in to his left: VI.; Double Rials, Rials, and Angels, of Mary There are reasons, he added, "why, if this money but otherwise, though the workmanship shewed Rose Royals, Spur Royals, Angels, large So-Bless you, I low all about it; the old Squire coived that the nodding skeleton before him in greater quantity and some in less, but all young lady, I saw her yesterday, and she looks kist was the centre. (X I.) One place in the was about thirty inches thick by three feet six like a ghost she du. Ah, he's a mean one, that circle was vacant; evidently it had once been long. Cossey. Laryer Quest warn't in it with him after occupied by the giant frame which now sat with- "We must get this into the house, George, Well, I cooked his goose for him, and I'd in the kist. Next he looked at the kist itself, before anyone is about," gasped the Colonel. give sommut to have a hand in cooking that It had all the appearance of one of those rade . "Yes, sir, yes; but how be we a-going to carry

Perhaps a subsequent race or tribe had found the chamber ready prepared, and used it to bury was impossible to say more, especially as with gale, which was still blowing, though not with one exception there was nothing buried with the skeletons which would assist to identify their race or age. That exception was a dog. A dog. Indeed, there had been no such tempest in those had been placed by one of the bodies. Evidently parts for years, or rather canturies, as the condi- from the position of the bones of its master'

band resting on his hound's head. Bending down, Barold examined the seated Squire tells us on in the time of King Charles, skeleton more closely. It was, he discovered, accurately jointed together with strong wire. Clearly this was the work of hands which were made no answer, and they fought their way on- born into the world long after the flesh on those mighty bones had crumbled into dust.

But where was the treasure? He saw none. His heart sauk as the idea struck him that he had made an interesting archeological discovery. remained standing now, and as he pointed that and that was all. Defore undertaking a closer sure to lie a bed. On his way to his bed-room search he returned to the hole and hollosed to he peeped into the dining-room, where he had George to come down, as there was nothing but fallen asleep on the previous evening. When some bones to frighten him.

> much difficulty persuaded to do. Harold explained to bim what the place was and made the great discovery. There was nothing how ridiculous were his fears, without, however, in it, of course, but somehow the sight impressed

shut up as they were in the bowels of a place its burning away! Smiling at this trite rebeing haunted, faced by a nodding akeleton of other, went to his room. Here he found a stout rious other skeletons all "very fine and large." | turn to the Mount. with the most violent tempest that had visited | "Are you all right, George?" he shouted the country for years sighing away ontside, it is down the hole. not wonderful that George was scared.

"Well." he said, his teeth chattering, "if this | back. It's longsome like down here with these ain't the masterest one that iver I did see." But | deaders." here he stopped, language was not equal to the . "Yery we'l. Look out! There's a bag. Put expression of his feelings.

Meanwhile Harold, with a heart full of anxiety; and then make it fast to the rope." was turning the lantern this way and that in the Some three minutes passed, and then George hope of discovering some traces of Sir James's announced that the bag full of gold was ready treasure, but nought could be see. There to the Harold hauled away, and with considerable of left the masonry was fallen in. He went to it fort brought it to the surface. Then, getting and pulled aside some of the stones. There was the bag on to his shoulder he staggered off with a cavity behind, apparently a passage leading no it to the house. In his room stood a massive doubt to the secret entrance to the vault, but he sea-going chest, the companion of his many wanround. There was nothing. Unless the trea- old clothes, which he bundled unceremoniquely sure was buried somewhere, or hidden away in on to the floor. This done, he shot the dag full

And yet what was the meaning of that jointed as when it was packed away two and a half cen- self in sleep. e, tied some knots in it, and let it down into have been put there for some purpose; probably to frighten would be plunderers away. Could But George was too quick for him. Forget be be sitting on the money? He rushed to the ting his doubts the wisdom of groping chest and looked through the bony legs. No, his "Well, George it seems we're done." said Harold, with a ghastly attempt at a laugh,

"There's no treasure here." "Maybe its underneath that there stone corn "Are you all right?" asked Harold in a voice | bin," suggested George, whose teeth were still

"Yes," answered George, in a doubtful voice. This was an idea. Helping himself to the soft sand upon which the stone chest stood. He Next moment a most awful howl of terror scooped and scooped manfully, but he could not

ped upon the ground and the rope commenced. He stepped back and locked at it. It must be one of two things-either the hollowat the top In snother two seconds George's red night was but a shallow cutting in a great block of

He literally sprang at it, and seizing the giant "Let me up for Goad's sake," he gasped, "or skeleton by the spine, jerked it out of the kist and dropped it in a bristling bony heap on one "He! who?" asked the Colonel, not without side. Just as he did so there came a gust of a thrill of superstitions fear as he dragged the wind so furious that buried as they were in the earth, they literally felt the mound rock beneath But George would give no answer until he it. Instantly it was followed by a frightful

deed had it not been for the Colonel's eager | George collapsed in terror, and for a moment entreaties, backed to some extent by actual force. Harold could not for the life of him think what he would have som out of the summer-house had happened. He ran to the hole and looked up. Straight above him he could see the sky, "What is it?" reared the Colonel in the hole in which the first cold lights of dawn were qui to George, who shivering with terror was stand- | vering. Mrs. Massey's summer-house had been blown bodily away, and the "ancient British Dwelling Place" was once more as it had been

> "The summer-house has gone, George," he said. 'Thank God that we were not in it or "Oh Lord, sir," groaned the unhappy George "this is an awful business. It's like a judgment." "It might have been if we had been up above

instead of safe down here." he answered. "Come. George roused himself, and together they bent over the now empty kist, and examined it closely. The stone bottom was not of quite the same colour as the walls of the kist, and there was a crack across it. Harold felt in his pocket and "I don't know, but there he is, and they don't drew out his knife, which had at the back of

call this place 'Dead man's mount' for nawthing." one of those strong iron ho ke that are used to book he worked into the crack and managed be-Then, looking round, he found among the rub-"Look here, George," answered Harold feeling bish, where the wall had fallen in, a long sharp that if this went on much longer he should less flint. This he inserted in the hole and they both

Half of the cracked stone came up a few inches far enough to allow them to get their fingers underneath it. So it was a false bottom. "Catch hold," gasped the Colonel, "and pull

for your life." George did as he was hid, and setting their knees against the hollowed stone, they trgged till their muscles cracked. "It's a moving," said George. " Now then.

Next second they both found themselves on Up sprang the Colonel like a kitten. The broken stone was standing edgeways in the kist. "The light, George," he said hearsely.

Beneath the stone were some layers of rotten Was it a shroud or what? They pulled the linen out by handfuls. One two! three!

Oh. great Heaven i There, under the linen, were row on row o hining gold coins set edgeways. For a moment everything swam before Harold's eyes, and his heart stopped besting. As de la Molle from a fate as bad as death.

X. I .-- At Bungay, in Suffolk, there recently stood a mound or tumulus, on which was built a windmill. last! He kept his eyes ateadily fixed upon the lantern till be had lit it, and it was burning up brightly. Then by, an effort he lifted his eyes atonishment may be conceived when be found in the

Terror seized him while he looked, and as George thom. One was a beautiful three pound pirco had done, he turned to fly. How could that thing of Charles I., and the other a Spur Royal of James I.

Seizing the rope, he jerked it violently in the That proved it. There was no doubt that this was the treasure hidden by Sir James de la "Hey he got yow. Colonel?" sung ont George Molle, and he it must have been also who had above; and the sound of a human voice brought conceived the idea of putting a false bottom to the kist, and setting up the skeleton to frighten "No," he answered as boldly as he could, and maranders from the treasure, if by any chance

For a minute or two the men stood staring at He was there now, and holding the lantern each other over the great treasure which they ly able to speak.

"How deep do it go P" said George.

Harold got his knife and loosed some of the ging about in on a night like this. I niver by to be supposed that spiritual skeletons carry he could move his hand in them freely. Then he pulled out hardful after handful of every sort With a sigh of relief he held up the lantern of gold coin. There was a Rose Noble of Ed. Well," said the Colonel, "you can do as you and looked round. He was standing in a good. word IV.; Double Sovereigns of Henry VIII. like, but I'm going back at once, and going down sized vault or chamber built of rubble stone. Trip's Sovereigns and gold Crowns of Edward is to be found as all, it should be found this that it must be of extreme antiquity, the stone vereigns, and Laurels of James I.; Double Rials morning. To-day is Christmas Day, you know." lining was still strong and good. He looked and Rials of Elizabeth; Three pound pieces, Yes, yes, Colonel; I know what you mean, upon the floor, and then for the first-time per- Broads, and Half Broads of Charles I., some must talk to somebody; if he don't he'd bust, so was not the only one. All round lay remnants were represented. Handful after handful did h talks to me. That Cossey's coming for his of the mighty dead. There they were, stretch he pull out, and yet the bettem was not reached. answer from Miss Ida this morning. Poor edout in the form of a circle, of which the stone At last he came to it. The layer of gold pieces

Loniy hope it ren't be after a fool's arrand, cremated dead. But, if this was so, whence thus. Bidding George stay in the vault with the treasure, which he was with difficulty persnaded to do, he climbed the improvised rope ladder, and got in safety through the hole. In his excitement he had forgotten about the summer house having been carried away by the so much fury as before, and the wind-swept desolation that met his view as he omerged into the dawning light broke upon him with a shock. The summer-house was clean gone, nothing but a few uprights remained of it; and fifty yards

away he thought he could make out the crumpledup shape of the roof. Nor was that all. Quite a quarter of the great caks which were the glory of the place were down, or splintered and ruined But what did he care for the summer house or the oaks now? Forgetting his exhaustion, he ran down the slope and reached the house, which he entered as softly as he could by the side door. Nobody was about yet, or would be for another hour. It was Christmas Day, and not a pleasant morning to get up on, so the servants would be

he had woke up, it may be remembered, he lit This the worthy George was at length with | candle. This candle was now flaving itself to death, for he had forgotten to extinguish it, and When at last he stood beside him in the vault. by its side lay the paper from which he had succeeding in allaying them to any considerable him very much. It seemed months since he awoke to find the lamp gone out. How much And really when one considers the position. may happen between the lighting of a candle and which had for centuries owned the reputation of flection, he blew that light out, and, taking analmost superhuman size, and surrounded by va- hand-bag, with which he made haste to re-

"Well Colonel ves but not sorry to see you

as much gold in it as you can lift comfortably, the passage, it was non-existent, that was all. of shining gold, as bright and uncorrupted now

> the tenth something happened: ed George. "It was packed away in the money." pocket unread.

> sent up the twentieth bag full. "If you'll kindly let down that there rope. I'll come up, too.

"All right," said the Colonel, " put the skeleton back first." "Well, sir," answered George, "he looks won. was white as winter, and her heart was cold as derful comfortable where he lay, he du, so if winter's ice. vou're agreeable I think I'll let him be."

Harold chuckled, and presently George arrived, covered with filth and perspiration. at thim there oaks. Well, if that beant a master

one thing with another, nor did I, George, if who has just come up tells me that he hears that that's any comfort to you.' "Now look here, just cover over this hole top of Dead Man's Mount has been blown away.

with some boards and earth, and then come in which is a good riddence for Colonel Quaritch. and get some breakfast. It's eight o'clock and Why, what's the matter with you? How pale past, and the gale is blowing itself out." "A merry Christmas to you. George!" and he held out his hand, covered with outs and grime

sure. And a merry Christmanic is. God bless knows we want one badly enough. There has not you, sir, for what you've done to night. You've been much merriment at Honham of late years." saved the old place from that banker chap, that's . "A merry Christmas to you, father," she said. what you've done; and you'll have Miss Ida, and "Thank you, my love, the same to you; you have I'm durned glad on it, that I am. Lord! won't got most of your Christmases before you, which this make the Squire open his eyes," and the is more than I have. God bloss me, it only honest fellow brushed away a tear and fairly seems like yesterday since the big bunch of holly capered with joy, his red nightcap waving on | tied to the hook in the ceiling there fell down on

that windy desolation. t to the house. Mrs. Jobson and her talkative do for some weeks. He shut the chest and looked it, and then as he | Evidently a new thought had struck him, and was, covered with fifth and grime, bruised and she was in no great doubt as to what it was.

hanked Heaven for the wonderful thing had happened to him. So exhausted was he that he nearly fell asleep Bible that Ida had found.

It ran as follows :— "Seeing that the times be so troublous that no She lifted her head and looked him full in the men can be sure of his own. I. Sir James de la face, and then paused. He had a cup of ten in Molle, have brought together all my substance his hand, and it was held in the air half way to in money from wheresoever it lay at interest, his month, while his whole face showed the overand have bid the same in this sepulchre, to which mastering anxiety with which he was awaiting I found the entry by a chance, till such time as ber reply. peace come back to this unhappy England. This . "Make your mind easy, father," she said, "I have I done on Christmas Day, in the year of our am going to marry Mr. Cossey. Lord 1643, having completed the hiding of the gold while the great gale was blowing.

Thus on a long gone Christman Day, in the turned gway his face.
our of a great wind, was the gold hid, and now "Well," he said, "of course it is not my affair, hour of a great wind, was the gold hid, and now on this Christmas Day, when another great or at least only indirectly so, but I must say, my cools and refreshes the face and hands of to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

CHAPTER XLII IDA GOES TO MEET HER FATE.

too small for him. The bony arms hung down for George, he muttered something insudible in our soul's despuir, we stretched out value hands "these things are generally considered matters on either side; the bony limbs projecting to about it's being a "master one," and collepsed. and wept, called and no answer came; when we for congratulation. wards him, the great white skull hung forward With trembling flugers Harold managed to kissed these beloved lips and shrunk aghast at But for all he might say and all that he might over the massive breast bone. It moved, too, of pick out two pieces of gold which had been disitself, and as it moved the jaw bone tapped turbed by the upheaval of the stone, and held now in the rich pomp of their unsealing. He could not but know that the exclamation ASSOCIATION, tologist, and had no difficulty in recognising It may have come whom our honour and the was the last outery of a broken spirit. In his FOR AIDING THE WIVES AND FAMILIES OF hope of all our days lay at our feet shattered heart he realised then, if he had never clearly like a sherd on the hard roadway of the world. realised it before, that this proposed marriage It may have come when she, the sweet star of was a thing hateful to his daughter, and his our youth, the pure and hely thing, the type of conscience pricked him sortly. And yet-and completed beauty and woman's most perfect yet—it was but a woman's fancy—a passing measure, she, to whom was given the chalice of laney! She would become reconciled to the our joy, and who held in her white hand the love- inevitable as women do, and when her children begotten germ of our power, rathlessly emptied came she would grow acoustomed to her sorrow, and crushed it, and, as became a star, slid down and her trouble would be forgotten in their our horizon's ways to rise upon some other sky. laughter. And if not, well it was but one wo-Or it may have come when Brutus stabbed us. man's life which would be affected, and the very or when a child whom we had cherished struck existence of his race, and the very cradle that tended over England and India, has been started

> ghastly thing to face. shook her life. She could not sleep who could society could not endure. row? The wail and roar of the wind, the crash made pretence of eating a piece of toast; the soldiers and sailors serving here, who may need BAY of falling trees, and the rattle of flying stones Squire mopped up the tea upon his clothes, asseistance at home. seemed to form a fit accompaniment to the tur- and then draik some more.

gust and beat upon it. It would not bend, and wheels upon the gravel. So it had come. weight of the breath of its destiny the big tree and fluttered; her vital force seemed to cease broke in two like a straw, and its spreading top their work. was whirled into the most. But the birch gave | Another two minutes passed, and then the and bent; it bent till its delicate filaments lay door opened and the parlour maid came in. upon the wind like a woman's streaming hair. " Mr. Coss'y, if you please, sir." and the fierceness of the gust wore itself away

"See what happens to those who stand up! and defy their fate," said Ida to herself with a a minute. bitter laugh. "The birch has the best of it." Ida rose and closed the shutters; the sight of the storm affected her already strained nerves almost beyond bearing. She began to walk up and down the big room, flitting like a ghost from end to end and back again, and again back. What could she do? What should she do! Her fate was upon her; she could no longer resist the inevitable—she must marry him. And yet her whole soul revolted from the act with an everwhelming flerconess which astonish ed even herself. She had known two girls who had married people whom they did not like, being at the time, or pretending to be, attached to somebody else, and she had observed that they accommodated themselves to their fate with considerable ease. But it was not so with her she was fashioned of another clay, and it made her faint to think of what was before her. And yet the prospect was one in which she could expect little sympathy. Her own father. although personally he disliked the man whom she must marry, was clearly filled with amaze-

ment that she should prefer Colonel Quaritch, middle-aged, poor, and plain, to Edward Cossey handsome, young, and rish as Crosus. He could not comprehened or measure the extraordinary gulf which her passion dug between the two. If, therefore, this was so with her own father. how would it be with the rest of the world? She paced her bedroom till she was tired, and then, in an access of despair, which was sufficiently distressing in a person of her reserved and stately manner, flung herself, weeping and sobbing, upon her knees, and resting her aching idelicate constitution of either sex, the Proprietors head upon the bed, prayed as she had never solicit sufferers to give it a trial to test its value. prayed before that this cup might pass from ber.

She did not know-how should she?—that at that very moment her prayer was being answer ed, and that her lover was then, even as she prayed, lifting the broken stone and revealing great majority of long standing cases, BY ALI the heard of ruddy gold. But so it was; she CHEMISTS and PATENT MEDICINE VENDORS prayed in despair and agony of mind, and the throughout the world. Proprietors, THE LINCOLS prayer carried on the wild wings of the night AND MIDLAND COUNTIES DEUG COMPANY, Lincoln brought a fulfilment with it. Not in vain were her tears and supplications, for even now the deliverer delved among

"The dust and awful tressures of the dead." and even now the light of her coming happiness was breaking on her tortured night as the first | NE could see nothing in it. Once more he searched derings. It was about half full of uniforms and old gloams of the Christmas morning were breaking over the stormy fury of the void without. And then, chilled and numb in body and mind.

> By half-past nine c'clock, when Ida came down Twenty times did he make this journey. At though its footprints were visible enough in shattered trees, nuthatched stacks, and ivy torn "Here's a writing sir, with this lot," shout- in knotty sheets from the old walls it clothed. It would have been difficult to recognise in the of weakness. Keeps good in the hottest climates and He took the "writing," or rather parchment, cold and stately laly who stood at the diningout of the mouth of the bag, and put it in his room window, noting the havor and waiting for her father to come in, the lovely, passionate, At last the store, enormous as it was, was dishevelled woman who some few hours before had thrown herself upon her knees praying to That's the lot, sir," shouted George, as he God for the succour she could not win from man Women, like nature, have many moods and many countenances to express them. The hot fit had passed, and the cold fit was on her now. Her face, except for the dark hollows round the eyes,

Presently her father came in. "What a gale." he said, "what a gale. Upon, my word I began to think that the old place was "Well, sir," he said, "I never did think that coming down about our ears, and the wreak I should get dead tired of handling gold coins, among the trees is dreadful. I don't think there THE GREATEST but it's a rum world, and that's a fact. Well, I can have been such a wind since the time of giver, and the summer-house gone, and jist look | King Charles I, when the top of the tower was blown clean off the church, you remember was showing you the entry about it in the "You never saw a masterer, that's what you registers the other day, the one signed by the were going to say, wasn't it? Well, and take parson and old Sir James de la Molle. The boy poor old Mrs. Massey's summer-house on the

"The gale kept me awake. I got very little alsep," answered Ida. "And no wonder. Well my dear, you haven" George shook it. "Same to you Colonel, I'm | wished me a merry Christmas yet. Goodness the breakfast table and smashed all the cups, and It was a strange and beautiful sight to see the lyet it is more than sixty years ago. Dear me

solemn George capering thus in the midst of how angry my poor dear mother was. She never could bear the crockery to be broken-it was Harold was too moved to answer, so he shoul- little failing of your grandmother's," and he dered his last load of treasure and limped off with laughed more heartily than Ida had heard him niece-were up now, but they did not happen to! She made no answerr but busied herself about see him, and he reached his room in safety. He the tea. Presently glancing up she saw her poured the last bagful of gold into the chest. father's face chang .. The worn expression came and smoothed it down. It filled it to the brim, back upon it and he lost his buoyant bearing.

bleeding, and his hair flying wildly about his "We had better get on with breakfast," he face, he sat down upon it, and from his heart said. "You know that Cossey is coming up at | DICHMOND CAVENDISH COMPANY "Ten o'clock?" she said, faintly. "Yes I told him ten so that we could go to as he sat, but remembering himself he rose and church afterwards if we wished to. Of course. taking the parchment from his pocket he cut the Ida, I am still in the dark as to what you have faded silk with which it was tied and opened it. made up your mind to do, but whatever it is I On it was a short inscription in the same thought that he had better once and for all hear crabbed writing which he had seen in the old your final decision from your own lips. If, however, you feel yourself at liberty to tell it to me

> He put the cup down in such a fashion that he spilt half of the tes, most of it over his own James de la Molle." clothes, without even noticing it, and then

as your father, I shall be glad to hear it."

wind raged overhead, was it found once more, leve, I congratulate you on the decision which fall exposed to the hot sun and dust eradicates just in time to save a daughter of the house of | you have come to. I quite understand that you | freekles, sunburn, tan, &c., and produces a | have been in some little difficulty about the mat- | beautiful and delicate complexion. ter: young women often have been before you. and will be again; but to be frank. Ida, that whitens the teeth, prevents decay, and gives a Quaritoh business was not at all suitable, either Most people of a certain age and a certain de- in age, or fortune, or in anything else. Yes, algree of sensitiveness of disposition, in looking though Coasey is not everything that one might back down the vists of their lives, whereon wish, on the whole I congratulate you heartily." and looked round him.

And this is what he saw.

And this is what he saw.

There three or four paces from him is the court of the court chill and hopeless horses of departed life; when, I don't quite understand you," he said,

us with a serpent-lang of treachery and left the had nursed them from century to century were in this Military command, under the name low poison to creep upon our heart. One way or now at stake. Was all this to be at the mercy of THE HONGKONG AND STRAITS another it has been with most of us, that long of a girl's fancy ! No! let the individual suffer. | SETTLEMENTS SOLDIERS AND SAI-

circumstances most of us would argue also, And so Ida de la Molle had found it. The and, perhaps, considering all things, we should Wives and Families of men of all branches of shriek of the great gale rushing on that Christ- be right. For in this world personal desires H. M. Forces now serving or who shall hereafter mas eve round the stout Norman towers, was not must continually, give way to the welfare of serve in Hongkong or in the Straits Settlements. more strong than the breath of the despair that others. Did they not do so our system of and of Co-operating generally with the Parent sleep on such a night, the herald of such a mor- No more was said upon the subject. Ida furnishing information about the families

Meanwhile the remoraeless seconds or opt on. It management of a General Committee consisting She rose, and putting on her dressing-gown, wanted but five minutes to the hour, and the hour of :went to the window, and in the dim light watch. would she well-knew, bring the man with it. ed the trees gigantically tossing in a great! The five minutes passed slowly and in silonce. struggle for their life. An oak and a birch Both her father and herself realised the nature were within her view. The cak stood the gale of the impending situation, but neither of out-for a while. Presently there came an awful them spoke of it. Ah! there was the sound of the tough roots would not give, so beneath the Ida felt like death itself. Her pulse sunk

"Oh," said the Squire. "Where is he ?-"

" In the vestibule, sir." "Very good. Tell him I will be there in to the funds shall be a Member of the Association. .The maid went. "Now. Ida," said her father, "I suppose we had better get this business over. "Yes, she answered, rising: "I am ready."

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